

SOME SOURCES FOR STORIES, POEMS, PHOTOS, & ESSAYS

East of the Web – www.eastoftheweb.com

Includes a large collection of stories that may work in discussion groups. You can search for stories in nine categories by entering the name of an author, story, or a description of a story into the search text field. All stories are listed with brief summaries - clicking on the story title will take you to the page containing the story itself.

Everyday Poems – www.everywritersresource.com/poemeveryday

Sign up for poems by daily email or search for poems by subject and author.

Florida Memory Project – www.floridamemory.com

Florida Memory presents a selection of historical records that illustrate significant moments in Florida history, educational resources for students of all ages and archival collections for historical research. Florida Memory utilizes selected original records, photos and other materials from the collections of the State Library & Archives of Florida.

Get Your Wordsworth – Elders Writing From Life Experience - getyourwordsworth.wordpress.com

This blog is part of *Elders Share the Arts* Living History Arts program, Writing from Life Experience. Writing from Life Experience involves elders from all writing backgrounds in creative and reflective writing based on life story.

Helium – www.helium.com/publishing-platforms

Helium is an eclectic collection of videos, articles, how-to information, and stories contributed by readers and writers.

Letters of Note – Correspondence Deserving of a Wider Audience - www.lettersofnote.com

Letters of Note is an attempt to gather and sort fascinating letters, postcards, telegrams, faxes, and memos. It includes missives from famous and interesting people of all stripes. You can search the archives of letters by writer and topic. Also, see the companion site www.listsofnote.com.

Poem-a-Day – www.poets.org

A site featuring new and previously unpublished poems by contemporary poets on weekdays and classic poems on weekends. From the Academy of American Poets.

Reminisce Magazine – www.reminisce.com

Reminisce Magazine is full of memorabilia and stories about the past that our parents and grandparents would remember.

SMITH Magazine – www.smithmag.net

SMITH Magazine is a home for storytelling. They believe everyone has a story, and everyone should have a place to tell it. They're the creators of the Six-Word Memoirs®. Click on *Story Projects* for recent stories or *About* to find the archive of older pieces.

StoryCorps – www.StoryCorps.org

StoryCorps' mission is to provide Americans of all backgrounds and beliefs with the opportunity to record, share, and preserve the stories of our lives. Since 2003, StoryCorps has collected and archived more than 55,000 interviews from more than 96,000 participants. The heart of StoryCorps is the conversation between two people who are important to each other: family members, friends, spouses...

This I Believe – <http://ThisIBelieve.org>

This I Believe is an international organization engaging people in writing and sharing essays describing the core values that guide their daily lives. More than 125,000 of these essays, written by people from all walks of life, are archived on the website, heard on public radio, chronicled through their books, and featured in weekly podcasts. The project is based on the popular 1950s radio series of the same name hosted by Edward R. Murrow.

Three Minute Fiction Contest - www.npr.org/series/105660765/three-minute-fiction

National Public Radio invited listeners to submit original stories that can be read in three minutes or less. They print the best on their web site. Each round in the contest has different rules. (If the above web address does not work, go to www.npr.org and type in **Three Minute Fiction** in the search window.)

TimeSlips – creative storytelling – www.timeslips.org

The open, poetic language of improvisational storytelling invites people with dementia to express themselves and connect with others. Site includes training and sample activities.

The Writer's Almanac with Garrison Keillor – <http://writersalmanac.publicradio.org>

A daily newsletter from American Public Media includes poems and literary milestones. Sign up for the app or daily emails.

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